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## PATENT APPLICATION

Applicants : Robert Allen Moss et al.  
Application No.: 09/627,146 Confirmation No.: 1215  
Filed : July 27, 2000  
For : BALL HITTING PRACTICE APPARATUS  
Group Art Unit : 3711  
Examiner : Michael S. Chambers

New York, New York  
June 25, 2002

Hon. Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

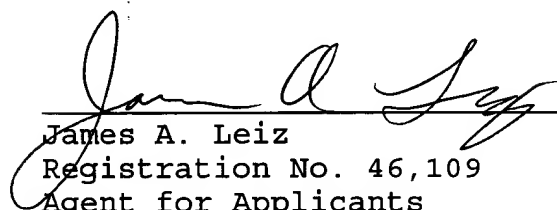
PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)  
FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated March 11, 2002. With the extension, a response is due on or before July 11, 2002. A check in the

amount of \$55.00, in payment of the fee required under  
37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1), is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,



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